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MAINTENANCE WORK AT CENTRAL LIBRARY **Upper Level Closed for New Carpet, Paint June 27 to July 29**

SANTA BARBARA, CA (6/11/2011) – Faded walls and worn 1980s-era carpeting will soon be a thing of the past on the upper floor of the Santa Barbara Central Library, as it gets new carpeting and a fresh coat of paint as part of the City's regular scheduled maintenance program beginning June 13.

Though the upper floor will be closed to the public from approximately June 27 until July 29, library services will continue on the first floor. Staff members will provide a limited retrieval service for books in the closed-off sections during this time. These sections are Reference, non-fiction (including travel, gardening, and cooking), as well as much of the teen book collection. Patrons are asked to allow extra time (at least one day) for the retrieval of requested items.

The Reference Desk and a selection of teen books will be relocated to the first floor during this time. Fiction, children's books and audio-visual materials (DVDs, CDs and audiobooks) are not affected and will be available as always.

For more information, call 805-564-5604, or visit the Library's website at www.sbplibrary.org.



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